


**SPECIMEN BALLOT  
GENERAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 8, 2016**



Amy Frederick, County Clerk & Recorder

**FORD COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

To vote, darken the oval to the LEFT of your choice, like this . To cast a write-in vote, darken the oval to the LEFT of the blank space provided and write the candidate's name in that space. For specific information, refer to the card of instruction posted in the voting booth. If you tear, spoil, deface or erroneously mark this ballot, return it to the election judge and obtain another.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSAL	FEDERAL
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>"NOTICE</b></p> <p>THE FAILURE TO VOTE THIS BALLOT MAY BE THE EQUIVALENT OF A NEGATIVE VOTE, BECAUSE A CONVENTION SHALL BE CALLED OR THE AMENDMENT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IF APPROVED BY EITHER THREE-FIFTHS OF THOSE VOTING ON THE QUESTION OR A MAJORITY OF THOSE VOTING IN THE ELECTION. (THIS IS NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS A DIRECTION THAT YOUR VOTE IS REQUIRED TO BE CAST EITHER IN FAVOR OF OR IN OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSITION HEREIN CONTAINED.)</p> <p>WHETHER YOU VOTE THIS BALLOT OR NOT YOU MUST RETURN IT TO THE ELECTION JUDGE WHEN YOU LEAVE THE VOTING BOOTH".</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CONSTITUTION BALLOT PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE 1970 ILLINOIS CONSTITUTION</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Explanation of Amendment</p> <p>The proposed amendment adds a new section to the Revenue Article of the Illinois Constitution. The proposed amendment provides that no moneys derived from taxes, fees, excises, or license taxes, relating to registration, titles, operation, or use of vehicles or public highways, roads, streets, bridges, mass transit, intercity passenger rail, ports, or airports, or motor fuels, including bond proceeds, shall be expended for other than costs of administering laws related to vehicles and transportation, costs for construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair, and betterment of public highways, roads, streets, bridges, mass transit, intercity passenger rail, ports, airports, or other forms of transportation, and other statutory highway purposes, including the State or local share to match federal aid highway funds. You are asked to decide whether the proposed amendment should become part of the Illinois Constitution.</p> <p>For the proposed addition of Section 11 to Article IX of the Illinois Constitution.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (Vote for one)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> ( HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON ( TIMOTHY MICHAEL KAINE DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ( DONALD J. TRUMP ( MICHAEL R. PENCE REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ( GARY JOHNSON ( BILL WELD LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ( JILL STEIN ( AJAMU BARAKA GREEN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ( Write-in _____</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ( Write-in _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR (Vote for one)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> TAMMY DUCKWORTH DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MARK STEVEN KIRK REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KENTON McMILLEN LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SCOTT SUMMERS GREEN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>STATE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOR COMPTROLLER (For an unexpired two year term) (Vote for one)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> SUSANA MENDOZA DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LESLIE GEISSLER MUNGER REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CLAIRE BALL LIBERTARIAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TIM CURTIN GREEN</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CONGRESSIONAL</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FIFTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for one)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN M. SHIMKUS REPUBLICAN</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS SIXTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for one)</b></p> <p><input type="radio"/> No Candidate DEMOCRATIC</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ADAM KINZINGER REPUBLICAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Write-in _____</p>

LEGISLATIVE	COUNTY BOARD
<b>FOR STATE SENATOR FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>JASON BARICKMAN</b> REPUBLICAN	<b>FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT THREE (For an unexpired two year term) (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>CHASE M. McCALL</b> REPUBLICAN
REPRESENTATIVE	JUDICIAL
<b>FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>THOMAS M. BENNETT</b> REPUBLICAN	<b>FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. Charles G. Reynard) (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>MARK A. FELLHEIMER</b> REPUBLICAN
COUNTY	<b>FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (To fill the vacancy of the Hon. Elizabeth A. Robb) (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>CASEY COSTIGAN</b> REPUBLICAN
<b>FOR COUNTY CLERK (For an unexpired two year term) (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>AMY FREDERICK</b> REPUBLICAN	<b>JUDICIAL RETENTION</b> "Vote on the Proposition with respect to all or any of the Judges listed on this ballot. No Judge listed is running against any other Judge. The sole question is whether each Judge shall be retained in his present office."  <b>SHALL</b> <b>JAMES A. KNECHT</b> be retained in office as <b>JUDGE OF THE APPELLATE COURT FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT?</b>  <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<b>FOR CIRCUIT CLERK (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>KIM EVANS</b> REPUBLICAN	<b>SHALL</b> <b>SCOTT DRAZEWSKI</b> be retained in office as <b>JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT?</b>  <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<b>FOR CORONER (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>DOUGLAS WALLACE</b> REPUBLICAN	<b>PROPOSITIONS</b> <b>Paxton-Buckley-Loda Community Unit School District Number 10</b>  <b>PROPOSITION TO ISSUE \$31,425,000 SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS</b>  Shall the Board of Education of Paxton-Buckley-Loda Community Unit School District Number 10, Ford, Champaign, Iroquois, Livingston and Vermilion Counties, Illinois, improve the site of and build and equip an elementary school building on the property of the existing Clara Peterson Elementary School Building, demolish the Eastlawn Elementary School Building, improve the sites of, alter, repair and equip the existing Clara Peterson Elementary and Paxton-Buckley-Loda High School Buildings and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$31,425,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof?  <input type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
<b>FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY (Vote for one)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>ANDREW L. KILLIAN</b> REPUBLICAN	
COUNTY BOARD	
<b>FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT ONE (Vote for not more than two)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>JASON JOHNSON</b> REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> <b>TOM McQUINN</b> REPUBLICAN	
<b>FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT TWO (Vote for not more than two)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>ROBERT LINDGREN</b> REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> <b>TIM NUSS</b> REPUBLICAN	
<b>FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD DISTRICT THREE (For a full four year term) (Vote for not more than two)</b>  <b>No Candidate</b> DEMOCRATIC <input type="radio"/> <b>RANDY FERGUSON</b> REPUBLICAN <input type="radio"/> <b>BERNADETTE RAY</b> REPUBLICAN	